

**Pastors...
Shepherd the Flock!**

"Shepherding doesn't mean tailoring the truth to accommodate the latest secular fashion. Neither is it mumbling meaningless banality to get pro-lifers off your back. People don't merely need to be told the truth, they need to be convinced to embrace it. The next time you hear a pastor say 'our people aren't ready for a message on abortion' or 'we don't have a consensus on this' ask respectfully whose job he thinks it is to get them ready and forge that consensus?"

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Throughout Scripture we see clearly that life begins at conception; therefore, abortion, for any reason, is murder.

Consider [Genesis 1:27](#), [Psalm 139:13-16](#), [Psalm 51:5-6](#) and [Luke](#) in answering the question, "When does life begin?" Once answered, how can any believer justify abortion for any reason without violating the Word of God?